



**BRADFIELD +
ROUGHAM**
BAPTIST CHURCH

Weekly News
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Loving Jesus together
and helping others
to do the same

TODAY



Morning: Giver of Life : The Sanctifier **Speaker: Pastor James**

This Sunday morning, in our second instalment of “Giver of Life,” we’ll explore the Holy Spirit’s work of being The Sanctifier; the One who brings the life of Jesus in and through our everyday lives. In Galatians 5, we’ll see exactly how the Holy Spirit makes our identity as God’s children - being united to Jesus - a growing, life-long reality.



Evening: Expect the Unexpected **Speaker: Pastor James**

This evening, we’re going to do something a little bit different. We’re going to listen to a first-person narrative sermon from Joshua 2. “What’s a first-person narrative sermon?” I hear you ask. Simply put, it’s a sermon that takes on a character in the biblical text. For this, we’ll explore the famous story of Rahab and Spies from the spies’ perspective and we’ll see a startling and profound lesson the spies learned along the way.

DIARY

Sunday 4 Feb

10:30am - Pastor James
(The Sanctifier / Gal 5)
6:30pm - Pastor James
(Joshua 2)

Monday

7:00pm - Christianity Explored

Tuesday

10:00am - Busy Bees
7:30pm - Community Groups

Thursday

7:30pm - Community Group
7:30-9:30pm - CHAOS Meeting

Friday

9:30am - Ladies' Bible Study

Sunday 11 Feb

10:30am - Pastor James
6:30pm - DVD: Andrew Wilson

HELPFUL INFO

Fellowship Lunches:

Please note that the Fellowship Lunch scheduled for 26th of April has been moved forward to 19th of April.

Trip to Kenya

Nicola Bean is heading to Nakuru in Kenya on Friday 9th Feb for one week, she will be assisting in distributing water filters and helping out with the work of Doxa caring for families & children in the cities slum areas. Please prayer for Nicola as she is fairly nervous about the trip.



Church Suite

We are very excited to announce that we are going to start using a Church Communication & Organisation software to keep up to date with rotas, church events, contact details, community groups, podcasts, giving, and so much more! It's called "Church Suite," and we are launching it church-wide on the 2nd Sunday of March. There will be more information in coming weeks to get you ready for the move. On February the 18th, we are going to have a "Church Picture Day" to update our contact sheet. Make sure it's a good hair day :).

CHAOS 2018

LOST ISLAND ADVENTURE

CHAOS Planning Meeting

The CHAOS Planning MEeting is this upcoming thursday (8th Feb) at 7:30pm-9:30pm. If you have signed up to help with any part of CHAOS please try your best to be at this meeting.

Christian Viewpoint for Men

The Christian Viewpoint for Men is on the 16th-18th of March, at Sizewell Hall right on the sea front which is an ideal place for spending time with Christian friends relaxing together, encouraging one another and hearing from Speaker: Simon Ladd. The cost is **£74** a person and men of all ages are welcome to come. If you are interested in this event, there are flyers at the church doors & on the mission board. An application form can be found in the flyers which will need to be returned by post or e-mail (directions enclosed).

Baptism Class

The call of the Christian life is to believe and be baptised. If you think that is a weird command, you're not alone. But, the call to be baptised and immersed in water as a symbol of new life in Christ is vitally important. If you've recently become a Christian or you've been a Christian for a while and you haven't been baptised, we would love if you could come to a Baptism Class on Saturday, Feb 17th from 10:00-11:00 a.m. There will be some teaching on Baptism, some time to ask questions, and an opportunity to sign up for the next Baptism Sunday if you would like.

West Special School Quiz Night

On April 6th at 7:30pm, Sam Bean is hosting a Quiz Night at BRBC to raise money for West Special School in Kenya. You are not going to want to miss this entertaining evening that goes to support the work of West Special School. Please contact Sam (sam.bean78@btinternet.com) to sign up or if you have team preferences. There is also a Facebook Event you can find if you search "West Special School Quiz Night," for more information.

